

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

In re Application of : Customer Number: 41552  
Sperandio, Sabina, et al. : Confirmation Number: 6504  
Application No.: 10/079,929 : Tech Center Art Unit: 1647  
Filed: February 19, 2002 : Examiner: Daniel C. GAMETT  
For: MODULATORS OF PARAPTOSIS AND RELATED METHODS

**NOTICE OF APPEAL  
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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated January 19, 2007 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 4-6 and 11-16.

Appeal Fee: \$250.00



Not required (fee paid in prior appeal in this application).



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